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For: NOVEL FORMULATION OF)
PHOSPHORUS FERTILIZER FOR)
PLANTS)

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CONTINUATION APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Sir:

This is a request for filing a continuation application under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) of pending prior application Serial No. 09/126,233, filed July 30, 1998, by Carol J. Lovatt, for "NOVEL FORMULATION OF PHOSPHORUS FERTILIZER FOR PLANTS."

1. Enclosed is a copy of the prior application consisting of 18 pages of the specification, 24 claims, and an abstract; and the Declaration of the inventor as originally filed. I

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hereby certify that the attached papers are a true copy of prior application Serial No. 09/126,233 as originally filed on July 30, 1998, as appears in the files of the undersigned attorney, and that no amendments referred to in the oath or declaration (if any) filed to complete the prior application introduced new matter therein.

2. A preliminary amendment is enclosed.
3. Cancel in this application original claims 1-24 of the prior application.
4. The filing fee is calculated to be \$345.00, a check for which is enclosed. The

Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 13-1030. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

5. A statement to establish small entity status was filed in the prior application and such status is still proper and desired.

6. Amend the specification by inserting on page one, before the first line, the sentence, -This is a continuation of Application Serial No. 09/126,233, filed July 30, 1998, ^{now 6,113,665} which


is a continuation of Application Serial No. 08/642,574, filed May 3, 1996, now U.S. Patent 5,830,255, re-examined as B1 5,830,255 (certificate issued July 11, 2000), which is a continuation of Application Serial No. 08/192,508, filed February 7, 1994, now U.S. Patent 5,514,200

7. The prior application is assigned of record to The Regents of the University of California.

8. The Power of Attorney appearing in the prior application is to the Customer Number provided below.

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